

The Wetaskiwin Times

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WETASKIWIN, ALBERTA, THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3 1903.

V. C. FRENCH,
Editor and Proprietor

The Merchants Bank OF CANADA

HEAD OFFICE, MONTREAL.

Capital, - \$6,000,000.
Surplus, - \$2,900,000.

90 BRANCHES 90

Saving bank department. Interest allowed.
American Exchange bought and sold.
Money loaned at most favorable rates.
Farmers and ranchers business receives special attention.

AGENTS

London, England, Royal Bank of Scotland.
New York, American Exchange National Bank.
Chicago, Northern Trust Co.
St. Paul, First National Bank.

V. C. JAMES, Manager.

Additional Town Topics

C. W. Hutchings, of Winnipeg, manager of the Fairchild Implement Co., was the guest of J. F. Fowler on Tuesday.

The work on Wetaskiwin's new skating rink will be commenced at once so as to have it in readiness for the first of the season. The rink will be located on Pearce st. west, and will be 170 x 100 feet, with a separate compartment for curling.

R. P. Mills, who has had charge of the dress goods and clothing departments of Fowler, Murdoch & Breen's store for about two years, severed his connection with that firm on Sept. 1st, and accepted a similar position with Compton & Montgomery.

Mr. Farnsworth, Dominion Land Surveyor, was in town Monday interviewing A. S. Rosenroll. He and his gang will be here in a few days and will spend the remainder of the season mapping out new roads and looking after road deviations in this district.

Chas. H. Olin informs us that he and his gang have just completed the opening of a good road from McCarter's corner to Gould's crossing. This road is in first-class shape—as Charlie never does anything by halves—and the farmers in the east country will now have a direct and safe route to town.

*Buy flour made by your own district mill. Keep the money in the country and save yourself money on each bag. We can supply you with any grade of flour you want from a cheap grade to a grade that will make as many loaves of bread to the barrel as any imported flour on the market. Get a trial sack—Wetaskiwin Milling Co.

A meeting of those interested in hockey was held in W. J. McNamara's office on the evening of Aug. 23, when the following officers were elected for the ensuing season:

Hon. Pres., Rev. C. G. Cornille.
Pres., W. W. Sharpe.
Vice-Pres., T. G. Breen.
Sec.-Treas., R. J. Dinning.
Messrs. Murphy, Forbes, Montgomery and Price were appointed as a managing committee to organize the team. A vote of thanks was tendered to Mr. McNamara for the use of his office and the meeting then adjourned.

Church Chimes

Capt. Wolverton, of the Salvation Army, will conduct service in Baptist church, Sunday evening next.

A financial district meeting of the Methodist church will be held at Leduc on Tuesday of next week.

The regular monthly union prayer meeting was held in the Scandinavian Presbyterian church last Wednesday evening.

The Presbyterian Sunday school intends holding its annual picnic on Monday afternoon Sept. 7th on the hills just west of the town. Sports in the way of swings, races, games and baseball will be provided.

On Sunday next, Sept. 6th, German Lutheran services will be conducted in the Swedish Lutheran church at 3:30 p.m. by Rev. G. Rinke. Confirmation will take place at this service and all are cordially invited to attend.

The first Gospel Temperance meeting, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., was held in the Baptist church on Sunday evening after the regular service. The church was crowded to the door. Rev. J. E. Hogg was the speaker of the evening, and he delivered a very forcible and practical temperance address. His five points were: 1, the evils of intemperance and the punishment inflicted by God; 2, the evils of intemperance and their relation to the State; 3, the evils of intemperance and their effect upon Society; 4, the evils of intemperance and their effect upon the home; 5, the evils of intemperance and their effect upon the individual.

Council Meeting

The regular monthly meeting of the Wetaskiwin town council was held on Wednesday evening. Present, Mayor Dickson, Councilors Gould, McKay, Schmidt, McEachern. The minutes of the last regular meeting read and confirmed.

Outward Correspondence as per letter book was read. Letter to Capt. McRobbie re Fire Engine. Inward Correspondence a letter was received from Deputy Commissioner Public Works regarding taxes on lot 16, block 7, Wetaskiwin.

Coun. Gould reported that in re the widening of Thelus street he had seen Mr. Mills and Mr. Ford and they would want \$500 for their property which would make more than \$2,000 expenditure to carry out this plan. Motion that report be received and Committee be discharged.—Carried.

Re Mr. D.T. Lenoir's request for permission to build bridge at his own expense on Stanley St. resolved to leave this in the hands of Coun. McEachern.

It was resolved on the motion of Coun. Schmidt, seconded by Coun. McKay that a six foot sidewalk be built to replace all sidewalks burnt by recent fire and the owners to bear the expense of the additional foot where seven foot walk be built.—Carried.

The following accounts were passed for payment:—
E. T. Jacobs.....\$ 6.05
Jas. S. Robertson.....\$ 9.00
John Sizemore.....\$ 1.00
Jas. Sizemore.....\$ 1.00

The Town Clerk was instructed to write Mr. C. J. Spink, Architect, Edmonton, and obtain plans and estimates for the erection of a Town Hall, the matter to be again considered on the receipt of such estimates and plans.

The Town Clerk was instructed to write the Canadian Rubber Co., regarding the delay in delivery in 500 feet hose ordered.

Couns. McKay and Schmidt were appointed with Assessor Walker to check over Assessment roll for 1903.

Committee's report, presented by Coun. McKay, stated that according to Assessor's Report, the amount of assessable property is as follows:

Municipal.....\$480,000
Public school farm lands, 110,000
Separate school farm lands 52,000

\$642,000

The Assessor was instructed to make the date of holding of Court of Revision on assessment, Thursday Oct. 1st at 3 o'clock p.m.

On motion of Coun. Gould, seconded by Mayor Dickson, resolved that report of Committee on Assessment be received and Committee discharged.

The meeting then adjourned.

A. S. ROSENROLL,
Secretary-Treasurer.

Conservatives Organized

A Conservative Convention was held in Ross Hall, Strathcona, on Wednesday evening last, when there was a large attendance of Conservatives representing Associations from all parts of this electoral district.

Delegates were present from Innisfail, Red Deer, Lacombe, Wetaskiwin, Leduc, the Barr. Colony, and Strathcona.

Messrs. J. F. Fowler, of Wetaskiwin and T. F. English, of Strathcona were unanimously elected Chairman and Secretary respectively of the Convention.

Amongst other business, an organization was formed to be known as the Liberal-Conservative Central Association for the Federal Constituency of Strathcona. The following were the officers elected: President, O. Bush.
Vice Presidents: C. T. Dykin, H. Miller, W. E. Payne.
Secretary-Treasurer: E. D. H. Wilkins.

Executive Committee: S. P. French, Innisfail; G. W. Greene, Red Deer; W. G. Gowan, Lacombe; John West, Wetaskiwin; Dr. Sutherland, Leduc; F. C. Jamieson, Strathcona.

A great deal of important business

was done including the establishment of a system of organization throughout the entire Electoral District.

During the evening prominent Conservatives from Edmonton, Strathcona and Leduc attended, and after being introduced, were given the privileges of the floor and Messrs. J. C. P. Brown, W. A. Griesbach and others addressed the meeting.

Finally an adjournment was made to the hotel where Host Sheppard provided an elaborate supper, after which several capital speeches were made by the chairman, Mr. Fowler, and Messrs. Bush, Brown, Griesbach, Payne and others.

What's Wrong With Canada?

The following may be more amusing and instructive than the letters from Britisher and his opponent. The item is taken from the Kansas City Star:—

"In closing an editorial warning the farmers to beware of seductive literature luring them to North-Western Canada, the Wellington News says:—Give your money to footpads. Bet on three card monte. Accept the bogus express receipt. Gather in a few gold bricks or chase the rabbits in the local bucket shop. Any of these things will certainly relieve you of your money, but not much more certainly than to leave Kansas for Western Canada."

Taken from the September number of Current Literature:—

"Canada's total trade for the year was \$81 a head, and that of the United States \$31 a head. The exports of produce for Canada were \$37 per head and for the United States \$18 per head. In 1850 the United States with a population of 23,000,000 had a total foreign trade of \$325,000,000, whereas Canada to-day, with a population of less than 6,000,000, has a total foreign trade of about \$170,000,000.

Born

WALKER.—At Ingersoll, Ont., on the 28th ult., the wife Dr. H. C. H. Walker, of a son.

KNAPP.—At Wetaskiwin, on the 29th ult., the wife of A. E. Knapp, of a daughter.

Winnipeg, Aug. 25.—The Canadian Northern crop report which has just been issued is the most favorable of the season. The average yield of wheat is placed at from 15 to 20 bushels. It is estimated that the total yield will exceed last year's output in big figures.

Wetaskiwin Markets

Wetaskiwin Sept. 2, 1903.
Wheat.....\$ 40 to \$ 55
Oats.....\$ 20 to \$ 25
Barley.....\$ 20 to \$ 25
Rye.....\$ 20 to \$ 25
Sorghum.....\$ 15 to \$ 20
Flour, standard, per cwt.....\$ 1.50 to \$ 1.75
Flour, extra, per cwt.....\$ 1.75 to \$ 2.00
Sugar, per lb.....\$ 0.10 to \$ 0.12
Shorts, per lb.....\$ 0.05 to \$ 0.07
Hops, per lb.....\$ 0.50 to \$ 0.60
Beans, per lb.....\$ 0.05 to \$ 0.07
Potatoes.....\$ 0.05 to \$ 0.07

Choir Leader Wanted

An experienced choir leader and organist for the Methodist church. For salary and particulars apply to G. J. FRENCH, 2547.

Binder Twine Lost

Between town and Wetaskiwin on a 50th cent. of McKinnon's twine on or about Aug. 23. Suitable reward for finding and coming in. THIS OFFICE.

Coat Lost

Found on east side of Battle River, on or about Aug. 25, by Rev. C. M. Wilson a gray, velvet lined coat. Green collar, buttons and lining. Reward for finding and coming in. THIS OFFICE.

Duck Dog For Sale

Good Water Spaniel for sale. Good retriever. For particulars apply to J. H. BARRARD, Alberta Feed Stable.

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Wanted young men to work on a farm; permanent position; steady work. Also for sale a good horse and cow and calf. Write answers to ROBERT HAMMER, Lacombe Alberta.

Notice

Notice is hereby given that we have bought out the Laundry business of Doug. Ross & Son and that we are not liable for any of the debts of the latter.

WILL JUNG & LOW CEN.

Weather Bulletin.

The following table gives the maximum and minimum temperatures for the past week as shown by J. H. Walker's government thermometer. The report is taken at 8 a.m. each day and includes Wednesday of this week:—

	MAX.	MIN.
Thursday.....	32	15
Friday.....	31	14
Saturday.....	32	14
Sunday.....	31	13
Monday.....	32	14
Tuesday.....	32	15
Wednesday.....	31	14

Auction Sale Farm Land.

The north east quarter of 23-14-23, west 4th Meridian, near the Iron Range, will be sold by public auction on

Saturday, September 5

—AT THE—

ALBERTA HOTEL,

Wetaskiwin, at 2 o'clock sharp.

TERMS:—Assume a mortgage of \$400 and the balance cash, or all cash and answer will pay off mortgage.

This is a splendid piece of property, one mile from a post office and store.

For further particulars apply to O'BRIEN & FORBES, Wetaskiwin, Solicitors for Owner, or to

W. J. McNAMARA, Auctioneer, Wetaskiwin.

F. P. Spencer

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5c to 50c per roll.



Military Entertainment,

Sergeant-Major Gustav Heinrich Schoof, the Boer British Soldier,

on Thursday and Friday nights, Sept. 3 and 4

—at the—
Presbyterian Church.

Admission 25c., Children 15c., each night. For particulars see bills.

100 people crowded the Presbyterian and Methodist churches of Edmonton on 15th Strathcona, night after night and applauded these lectures entertainment.

Sergeant-Major G. H. Schoof has filled engagements twenty-five nights in succession in 13 leading churches of Toronto. See recommendations on bills.

The entire walls and rostrum will be decorated with beautiful leopard skin robes, rug, feathers, tusks, skins of great lions, pythons, Boer guns, shells, Kaffir weapons of all descriptions, steel armour and chain coat of mail. At the close of the lecture ten young men will be dressed in native costumes, armours and coats of mail. A lightning sword drill will be given that has been pronounced unequalled in Canada.

Doors open 7.30. Lecture 8.15.

Imperial Bank

OF CANADA

HEAD OFFICE - - - - - TORONTO

Capital Authorized, - - - - - \$4,000,000
Capital Paid Up - - - - - \$2,963,332
Reserve - - - - - \$2,438,535

DIRECTORS

T. R. Martin, President, D. R. Wilkie, Vice-President, Wm. Ramsay, Robt. Jaffray Wm. Hendrie, T. Sutherland, Stuyvesant, Elias Rogers, D. R. Wilkie, General Manager, E. Hay, Asst. General Manager, W. Moffat, Inspector

BRANCHES

Northwest and British Columbia: Brandon, Calgary, Cranbrook, Edmonton, Fort St. John, Golden, Nelson, Portage la Prairie, Regina, Regina, Revelstoke, Strathcona, Vancouver, Victoria, Wetaskiwin and Winnipeg.

SAVINGS BANK DEPT.—Deposits of \$1 and upwards received and interest allowed.

DEBENTURES—Provided, Municipal and other debentures purchased.

Drafts bought and sold.

General banking business transacted Agents in Great Britain—Lloyd's Bank, Ltd., 25 Lombard St., London, with whom money may be deposited for transfer by letter or cable to any of the above branches.

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A Snap.

For a speculator or a settler. Fifty acres of first class farm land and a bed of clay for a brick yard. Two miles north of town on the best road in the district. Also twenty head of cattle, made up of cows, heifers and steers for sale. For further particulars apply to

L. T. MICHENER, Wetaskiwin, P. O.

This space is reserved for
Peterson & Anderson,
Successors to Peterson & Monson.

Watch this space next week.



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sold by us is dependable hardware. It will come up to the requirements of the most rigid specifications.

We can fill all orders for outside or inside hardware. Our prices will make low estimates on work possible.

Hardware and Furniture Emporium,

Geo. D. Wallace,

Successor to McCallum & Wallace.

Ed. J. Muir has moved his stock and Tailor Shop to the building two doors west of Gould's. A continuance of patronage is solicited at new stand.

ED. J. MUIR, - TAILOR

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Wetaskiwin, Alta.

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BARN for Sale

The Sale barn, east side, which will accommodate 50 head of horses, is offered for sale at a snap.

A Stallion

Seven eighths Percheron, 4 years old, weighing 1500 pounds offered for sale on very easy terms. Also house and lot for sale.

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Wetaskiwin, Alberta.

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VENUS HAS ANOTHER CRATER.

Naples, Aug. 26.—The people of Naples and environs witnessed a remarkable spectacle at noon today. One thousand feet below the centre cone of Vesuvius the volcano opened like a huge mouth out of which belched a fiery stream of lava, which ran down the side of the mountain and at first seemed to menace the observatory but later it deviated from the building. The eruption occurred without any warning whatever.

There was no earthquake detonation or rain of ashes, but a clear stream of lava, red hot, stones which were thrown to a height of 70 feet. The stream of lava, 15 feet broad, at 11 o'clock tonight had covered a distance of 2,700 feet. The eruption seems to be decreasing, and it is hoped that no damage will result.

The sky above for enough every, frightened, stood refrained at the sight, but there were some who were not so faint and rushed down the sides of the mountain to the village nearby.

Two Cloudbursts

Cornell Bluffs, Ia., Aug. 27.—Two cloudbursts tonight destroyed hundreds of thousands of dollars worth of property in this city. The first storm turned the water out of the river and hundreds of families in the town and districts of the town were removed from their homes with difficulty. Another storm later in the evening raised the water still higher. The loss in this city alone will reach half a million of dollars. Traffic on the Northwestern R. R. is suspended. The Rock Island and Milwaukee railway is also tied up.

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THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 1903.

The Value of a Dog.

The canine may be a useless cur as far as the public is concerned but in most cases it is of intrinsic value to the owner. The following item will be interesting reading to the subscribers of this paper in town, just after so many of our dogs have been poisoned.

One of the most eloquent tributes ever paid to the dog was delivered by Senator Vest, of Missouri, some years ago. He was attending court in a country town, and while waiting for the trial of a case in which he was interested, was urged by the attorneys in a deprecate to help them. Evidence was introduced to show that the defendant had shot the dog in malice, while other evidence went to show that the dog had attacked the defendant. Mr. Vest had no part in the trial, and was not disposed to speak. The attorneys urged him, however, and he consented. He arose, was silent a moment, and then said:

"Gentlemen of the Jury. The best friend a man has in the world may turn against him and become his enemy. His son or daughter that he has reared with loving care may prove ungrateful. Those who are nearest and dearest to us, those whom we trust with our happiness and our happiness and our good name may become traitors to their faith.

"The money that a man has he may lose. It flies away from him, perhaps when he needs it most. A man's reputation may be sacrificed in a moment of ill-considered action. The people who are prone to fall on their knees to do us honor when success is with us may be the first to throw the stones of malice when failure settles its clouds upon our heads.

"The one absolutely unselfish friend that man can have in this selfish world, the one that never deserts him, the one that never proves ungrateful or treacherous is his dog.

"A man's dog stands by him in prosperity and in poverty, in health and in sickness. He will sleep on the cold ground where the wintry winds blow and the snow drives fiercely if only he may be near his master's side. He will kiss the hand that has no food to offer. He guards the sleep of his pauper master as if his master were a prince.

"When riches take wings and reputation falls to pieces, he is as constant in his love as the sun in the journey through the heavens. And when the last scene of all comes, and death takes the master in his embrace, and his body is laid away in the cold ground, no matter if all other friends pursue their way, there by the graveside will the noble dog be found, his head between his master's paws, his eyes sad, but open in alert watchfulness faithful and true even in death."

Sentinel Vest sat down. He had spoken in a low voice, without a gesture. He made no reference to the evidence on the merits of the case. When he finished, justice was done and the dog was set free. The jury had voted, but each voted with a verdict of \$500 for the plaintiff, whose dog had been shot, and it was said the defendant considered himself lucky to have escaped hanging."

Ottawa, Aug. 25. Hon. W. S. Fielding last night brought down a resolution to urge the Government to advance to the Government of the Northwest Territories some money required for local improvements to an amount not exceeding in the maximum \$250,000. All sums so advanced are to be charged to the Northwest Territories debt account, and when Provincial autonomy is granted to the Territories will be treated as a debt due by them to the Dominion.

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Chamberlain's Cough Remedy. For Coughs, Croup and Whooping Cough. Price 25 cents; large size 50c.

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N. O. Oldenburg. - - Merchant Tailor.

This Week's Magnetic Values

AT

A. R. DICKSON'S.

This space is crowded with exceptional opportunities for this week's shoppers. We mean that there will be no let up in our policy of underselling for cash. Every effort is towards betterment of store service. Every energy is exerted to lower prices—but never at the expense of quality.

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A manufacturer's samples of Ladies' Shirt Waists at less than the cost of making, will be placed on sale this week at the following ridiculously low prices:—

38 Ladies' Shirt Waists	27 Ladies' Shirtwaists	33 Ladies' Shirtwaists
in fancy French flannel, just what you want for these chilly days, and made to sell at \$2, sale price	in fine French flannel, made in fine black sateen, trimmed with ribbon and fancy butchery, and made to sell at \$3.50, sale price	in fine French flannel, made in fine black sateen, trimmed with ribbon and fancy butchery, and made to sell at \$2.00, sale price
\$1.50	\$2.50	\$1.25

NEW FRENCH DELAINES **65c Plain Wash Silks at 50c yard.**

Our first shipment of new French satin delaines for fall trade has just reached us. The newest colorings and handsome French designs, perfectly fast colors. If you are thinking of getting a waist, now is the time to select a choice pattern at from

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A. R. DICKSON,

THE UP TO DATE CASH STORE.

Alberta German Herold,

Edmonton, Alberta.

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J. C. McKAY,

AGENT. : : : WETASKIWIN.

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Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded.
Courteous treatment to all.

O. H. Anderson

East Side, Wetaskiwin, Alta.

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We have opened up a Butcher Shop in the premises first door south J. H. Walker's drug store, and solicit a fair share of the public patronage.

We always keep on hand the choicest fresh and salt meats, fish and poultry in season. A trial order solicited.

Calgary Cattle Co.
J. STONG, Mgr.

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All kinds of Fruit in season and a large range of confectionery in stock.

Try a dish of our refreshing ice cream or a glass of our ice cream soda. They're delicious.

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G. S. LOTT, Calgary.
District Agent for Alberta.
A. S. ROSENKOLL, Wetaskiwin, Alberta.

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PEACE ST. WETASKIWIN
Children's Hair Cutting
A and Razor Grinding
A Specialty

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Town Topics.

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J. A. Giles, of Edmonton, was a caller in town Wednesday.

*Smoke "Seal of Alberta." Clear Havana cigar. Home industry.

Chas. Peterson left for B. C. on Wednesday, where he intends purchasing a bunch of horses.

*Patronize home industry by smoking "Seal of Alberta" clear Havana cigar. Fully guaranteed.

Dr. H. C. R. Walker has returned from his trip east and resumed his practice at his office in the Gould Block.

Miss Mina Dean, of Huron Co. Ont., arrived on Saturday's train to take charge of the Angus Ridge school for the ensuing term.

Mr. Jackson, of the Imperial Bank, arrived from Winnipeg on Monday's train and has succeeded Walter Benrath in the branch here.

Miss Eggen, recently from Minneapolis, and Mr. Barrett, recently from Detroit, have accepted situations in Fowler, Murdoff & Breen's store.

Mrs. Thos. Torsen and family went to Rossmore on Wednesday to spend a few days at the summer residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Rossmore.

*Hello! Have you seen Fowler, Murdoff & Breen's Ladies' Hats? Direct from the leading makers in the world; and at lowest prices. Second flat—Ladies' Dept.

In the Red Deer baseball tournament last week the home team defeated Calgary by a score of 6-5. At the end of the ninth inning the score stood 5-0, consequently the tenth inning had to be played.

An exchange says that—John McPherson, late proprietor of the Portage la Prairie Graphic, has decided to establish a daily paper at Edmonton. Mr. Moore, also a former Portage newspaper man, will be associated with him.

Dr. R. D. Robertson leaves this week for a visit to his home in New Brunswick. Before returning the Dr. will visit several of the large cities, and will be absent several weeks. His practice is being looked after by Dr. Lamb, of Toronto.

John B. Anderson, recently from Idaho Falls, Idaho, has entered into partnership with Chas. Peterson, who has conducted a hardware and furniture store on Railway a east for some time. The firm name will be Peterson & Anderson. Mr. Anderson will be a strong acquisition to the firm, as he is a shrewd business man with long experience.

Geo. Pollock is erecting a commodious home on Dickson st.

T. R. Jevne went to Edmonton on Monday and returned Wednesday.

The Wetaskiwin grist mill closed down last week for summer repairs.

*A large quantity of old newspapers for sale at The Times Office.

Geo. B. Henwood was at Edmonton this week on professional business.

A. C. Rutherford, M. L. A., of Strathcona, was a Wetaskiwin visitor on Tuesday.

Corp. Nicholson is at Calgary this week competing in the rifle shooting tournament.

Miss Potts returned on Monday's train after spending several weeks with Edmonton friends.

W. O. Ritchie left for his home in Strathcona on Saturday, where he will spend his vacation.

*The "Seal of Alberta" is a clear Havana cigar, home-made. Sold by all the leading tobacconists.

The vault for the Imperial Bank is being installed this week. The steel sheeting alone weighs a little over eight tons.

J. H. Knowlan arrived last week from Minneapolis, where he spent the summer. He has decided to locate here permanently.

Owing to no quorum being present, the regular monthly meeting of the Public School Board was not held on Wednesday evening.

Valacly Matejka went to Ponoka on Tuesday on business connected with the erection of his new hotel. Mrs. Matejka accompanied him.

Miss Grant, from Pembroke, Ont., who has been the guest of her friend, Mrs. C. C. James for several weeks, left on Monday morning en route home.

Miss Bussard, who has been clerking in Fowler, Murdoff & Breen's store, has been called to her home at Lewistown, owing to the illness of her sister.

*The Edmonton Post prints more telegraphic despatches than any other paper in the North-West Territories. The Post and The Times one year for \$2.00. 20/11

J. E. Harrison, who has been at Minneapolis and other cities across the line, on business connected with his patent grain loader, returned home on Monday to look after his crop.

Mrs. E. T. Jacobs and J. Richards spent several days of the past week with Edmonton friends. Mr. Jacobs went up on Tuesday evening and returned with them on Thursday morning.

Frank Doesen, recently from Innisfail, has his carpenter shop on Peace street west about completed. We understand he is figuring on the carpenter work of one of our new hotels, and if successful in getting the contract, will call in several outside carpenters, who will become permanent residents in town.

Wah Jung & Low Cen have purchased the laundry business from Dong Tom & Mah Jo, and took possession Tuesday. The new laundry will be obtained as the Sun Kwe Laundry, and Wah Jung wants it clearly understood that he will not be responsible for any debts incurred by the former firm. Dong Tom leaves in a few weeks for China, having made his "pile."

C. E. Compton returned home last week from his vacation, which was spent at his old home in Summerville, P. E. I. He was also at nearly six weeks and reports having had a delightful time. The people of the island never weary of hearing about the bright prospects in Northern Alberta, and Mr. Compton had a good time explaining the possibilities and answering questions. Mr. Compton now says Wetaskiwin is good enough for him.

Hon. G. H. V. Bulyea, Minister of Public Works, was in this district on Tuesday on an inspection tour. He reports that the roads are in much better condition than they were on his last visit, but realizes that a large expenditure is yet necessary before some of the roads in the district will be in first class condition. He went to Leduc on Tuesday afternoon, accompanied by Mr. A. S. Rossmore, M. L. A. While here, Mr. Bulyea was the guest of Mr. Rossmore.

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SPORTING GOODS--Guns and Rifles of the best makers. Ammunition of all kinds. Shooting Coats and Caps.

The prairie chicken season opens in a few days, you had better prepare for it.

JUST RECEIVED--A shipment of the genuine American Ranges, with reservoirs and closets. Come and see them.

Granite and Enamelware--Saucepans, Pudding Dishes, Dippers, Milk Pans, Waterpails, Tea Kettles, Teapots, Coffee pots. Everything to make a complete kitchen outfit, at way-down prices.

We are in the hardware business, as a visit to this department will convince everybody.

LADIES' GOODS



Ladies' Children's and Misses ready to wear goods. We are offering special values in these lines. Our fall stock of cloth coats has arrived.

The latest styles in finest quality of goods. Now is the time to secure a fur boa, or a pair of gauntlets, or a fur cap—first come first choice.

Our stock of Staples is unusually large and prices are right.

Blouses still going at 33 1-3 off, only a few remaining.

SEWING MACHINES

Just received a shipment of the celebrated Raymond Sewing Machines, drop head or cabinet. Prices from \$27 to \$45. Lowest ever offered in Wetaskiwin.

GROCERIES

Headquarters for Teas and Coffees. Special values still continue. The famous Tetley Tea can only be obtained from us. 9 lbs splendid coffee for \$1. Best Patent Flour \$2.30 per sack. Fresh fruit, pears, peaches, plums, tomatoes. Apples at \$1.65 per box. Toilet Soaps—The choicest makes 5 cakes for 25c. Ordinary price 10c. Horse Shoe Tobacco, with pipe, 50c per package.

FURNITURE

Iron Beds at \$5 each.
Handsome ones at \$18.
Cots at \$3.50.
We have just received a car-load of Furniture, consisting of kitchen and dining extension tables.
Sideboards in oak, ash and elm.
Cupboards.
Crib Beds.
Bed Room Suites.
Desks.
Rockers.

MEN'S SUITS



We have just received a shipment of those elegant fitting fall and winter suits that do so much for a man. Every one knows that our spring clothing was never surpassed for quality, style and workmanship.

FURS

Now is the time to secure your furs. A fur coat from \$16 to \$60.

Wombats, bison, bulgarian lamb, cape buffalo, calf, brown dog, goat, coon. Your choice in any of above lines.

Ladies' Fur Coats in astrachan or Bulgarian lamb, or Mexican buffalo. Fur caps, storm collars, mitts.

BOOTS AND SHOES

"Our trade will last as long as children are born without shoes."

American and Canadian shoes are arriving daily from the best makers of good strong serviceable footwear.

SOLID COUNTERS and SOLID INSOLES

Should any of our shoes prove unsatisfactory to the wearer, we will cheerfully replace same.

See our Woman's laced boot at \$1.25. It's a leader.

LAMPS

If you need a hand lamp, we have it; if you want a beautiful hanging lamp, we have it; if you would like a handsome table lamp, we have it.